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RANGERS' CHATTER

by "The Bushman."

VALUABLE POINTS DROPPED.

The large contingent of our supporters who travelled down to Coventry last week-end to cheer the boys on, hoping that the team would collect the full spoils were unfortunately disappointed for the game ended in a goalless draw. The loss of a point at such a vital period of the season naturally pegged us back a little but on the other hand defeat would have had a really damaging effect on our chances of promotion. The division at Coventry kept us well to the fore although at the moment of writing two clubs—Charlton Athletic and Crystal Palace—have the opportunity of gaining a maximum number of points one in excess of which the Rangers can possibly reach.

A REALLY HARD GAME.

It was a very dour contest at Coventry, and a draw was a very fitting result on the day's play, for either club would have been unlucky to have left the field beaten. Coventry held the balance of the play during the early stages but as usual our boys stayed

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the course well and might easily have obtained a goal and with it both points, late in the game when both Burns and Rounce missed by the narrowest of margins. A feature of the play was the brilliant exhibition given by the Coventry full-backs. They both served their side remarkably well during the periods of our aggressiveness. Had they faltered then our prospects of providing Second Division football at the Bush next season would have been greatly enhanced.

A GOOD SEASON.

Whatever happens to-day, or whatever our fate may be in our efforts to gain promotion, I take this opportunity, being the last match of the season, of congratulating the players on their splendid show. But for a very bad patch a little while back the Rangers would no doubt have already been in an unassailable position at the head of the Southern Section. The same can be said of nearly all the other leading clubs so I will not labour the point. In saying "Well done!" to our players I do so with all the meaning in the world. They have earned the approbation of every single supporter of the club whether promotion is gained or not. Not for many seasons have the "Blue and Whites" shown such consistently good form. Not only has there been a marked improvement in the play of the League side but the Reserves have also shown up to greater advantage than during recent seasons. Very attractive football has been served up in the London Combination games at the Bush and I sincerely hope the good work will be continued when a new season dawns next August.

INTEREST STILL MAINTAINED.

The results during the week-end did not bring us any nearer to a solution of the hectic promotion struggle which has been going on for a couple of months in the Southern Section. In turn every one of the half-dozen leading clubs have held the leadership and at times almost each one of these clubs have seemed certain of gaining the honours. Unexpected defeats, however, have changed the outlook with such marked regularity that the interest has never before been so intense. Here we are at the very last day of the season and any one of the six clubs may by to-night be certain of figuring in the Second Division next season. It all depends on what the others do, except in the case of Charlton Athletic, who will be practically certain of the Championship if they win at Walsall to-day. There are so many "ifs" about the whole business that to pursue the matter any further would get one into such a tangle with points and goal average that the reader would be left with very little enlightenment in the matter. Suffice, therefore, to say that our team must win to-day if we are to stand any chance of being promoted. Even if Luton are beaten at the Bush we may still be doomed to disappointment.

LONDON CUP FINAL.

The Final Tie of the London Challenge Cup competition will be played at the Arsenal F.C. ground, Highbury, on Monday next, May 6th. Kick-off 6 p.m. The finalists are Millwall and Tottenham Hotspur.

FULL TIME SCORES.

In view of the importance of some of to-day's results, arrangements will be made to show on the Score Board at the close of to-day's match the full time scores of Crystal Palace v. Brighton, Watford v. Northampton and Walsall v. Charlton.

PENNY ON THE BALL.

The winner last Saturday was Mr O. Ellis, 73, Shakespeare Avenue, Harlesden. No. C.78009.

SIGNATURES.

Up to date the following players have been signed for next season:— Cunningham, Pierce, Sweetman, Nixon, Eggleton, M'Nab, Cockburn, Coward, Foster, Rounce, Whatmore, Neil, Rogers, Goddard and C. Evans.

MATCH NEXT SATURDAY

The fourth Annual match in aid of the Shepherd's Bush Kiddies' Outing Fund will be played at Loftus Road ground next Saturday, May 11th between Blyth United and Exide teams. Kick off 3.30. Referee Mr. F. W. Giles. Linesmen, Messrs. S. W. Todd and J. Eggleton (Q.P.R.).

COMPETITION RESULTS

The actual gate on April 20th was 21,916, and Mr. T. Gover, 19, Elgin Crescent, W.11, who submitted the nearest estimate of 22,609, receives two Grand Stand tickets for to-day's match.

TO-DAY'S MUSIC by the
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Conductor - - Mr. C. R. Butcher.

1. MARCH ... Selected ...
2. FOXTROT "I Ain't Never
 Been Kissed." *Gilbert*
I ain't never been kissed, I ain't never
 been squeezed,
I ain't never been loved by no nobody at
 all.
I've travelling east, I've been travelling
 west,
I've been doing my best, but no nobody
 will fall.
Guess my face was meant to chase the
 chickens in the barn,
Leaving now to milk the cow, but I don't
 give a darn,
Cos I ain't never been kissed, I ain't never
 been squeezed,
I ain't never been loved by no nobody at
 all.
3. TWO STEP "Dada! Dada!"
 Le Clerg.
Dada! Dada! D-d-d-d-d-d-d-dada,
Come and see what Charlie's d-d-d-doing,
Dada! Dada! d-d-d-d-d-d-d-dada,
I'm sure there's trouble br-br-br-brewing;
He's got his arm around my waist, I'm
 sitting on his knee;
And tho' I've told him not to do it, he
 keeps on kissing me,
Dada! Dada! d-d-d-d-d-d-d-dada,
Come and see what Charlie's d-d-d-doing.
4. FOXTROT "Dusky Stevedore"
 Johnson
He's just a Stevedore, down on that
 Swanee shore,
Workin' and singin' a song;
His dusky brow is wet, he doesn't mind
 the sweat,
A-scuff-a-lin' all the day long;
See his rag-time shuff-a-lin' gait,
Happy 'cause he's handlin' freight,
The levee's heaven for, the dusky
 Stevedore
Workin' and singin' a song.
5. FOXTROT "Shout Hallelujah,
 'cause I'm Home." *Dixon*

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GOAL SCORERS TO DATE.

Division III.

Goddard	35	Smith	...	1
J. C. Burns	11	Kellard	...	1
Coward	8	Pierce	...	1
Rounce, G.	8	(Swindon)	...	1
Rogers	5	(Bournemouth)	1	
Young	3	(Charlton)	...	1
M'Nab	2	(Crystal Palace)	1	
Whatmore	2			

London Combination.

Vallance	19	Arrowsmith	2
Kellard	16	Smith	2
Foster	9	Young	2
Johnson	6	Armstrong	1
Whatmore	5	Liddle	1
Mustard	4	Price	1
Rounce, G.	4	Evans, C.	1
Pierce	3	(Fulham)	1
Rogers	3	(Swansea)	1

SUNDAY GRAPHIC

ALL THE WEEK-END PICTURES

RIGHT WING	QUEENS PARK RANGERS. (Blue and White Hoops)		Goal.	1...J. Cunningham	Division III.
			Backs.	2...S. Sweetman	
LEFT WING			Half-Backs.	3...W. Pierce	
	4...J. M'Nab		5...W. Cockburn	6...A. Neil	
	7..W. Coward	8..J. C. Burns	9..G. Goddard	10..G. Rounce	11..E. Whatmore
Referee—	Mr. C. E. Lines.				Linesmen—
					Messrs. A. S. KING and J. HANKIN.
LEFT WING	12..R. Bedford	13..H. Woods	14..A. Rennie	15..J. Yardley	16..J. Daly
	17...R. Millar		Forwards.		
	20...D. Richards		18...J. Fulton	19...J. Black	
LUTON TOWN. (WHITE & BLACK)			Half-Backs.		
			21...R. Kingham		
RIGHT WING			Backs.	22...C. Banes	
			Goal.		Kick-off 3.30



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B	Coventry City			Exeter City	
C	Crystal Palace		H	Torquay United	
D	Brighton & Hove			Southend United	
E	Fulham		K	Walsall	
F	Brentford			Charlton Athletic	
G	Gillingham		L	Watford	
H	Merthyr Town			Northampton Town	
I	Newport County		M	Burnley	
J	Norwich City			Arsenal	
K	Plymouth Argyle		N	Tottenham Hotspur	
L	Bournemouth U.			West Bromwich A.	

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Fixture List, 1928-29.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE (Div. III.)

(Southern Section).

1928.	OPPONENTS.	Venue	Result
Aug. 25	TORQUAY	Away	4 3
30	NEWPORT COUNTY	HOME	0 0
Sep. 1	GILLINGHAM	HOME	1 0
" 6	Newport County	Away	0 0
" 8	Plymouth Argyle	Away	2 1
" 15	FULHAM	HOME	2 1
" 22	Brentford	Away	1 1
" 29	Bristol Rovers	Away	1 1
Oct. 6	WATFORD	HOME	3 2
" 13	Walsall	Away	1 3
" 15	ARSENAL L. Ch. C. 1st R.	HOME	5 1
" 20	BOURNEMOUTH & BOS. A.	HOME	0 0
" 27	Merthyr Town	Away	2 1
" 29	TOTTENHAM H. London	HOME	1 1
Nov. 3	SOUTHEND UNITED	HOME	3 1
" 5	Tottenham H. L. Chall. C.	Away	1 3
"	2nd Round Replay		
" 10	Exeter City	Away	1 1
" 12	BRENTFORD, L. Prof. Charity Fund, 1st R.	HOME	0 1
" 17	BRIGHTON & HOVE	HOME	3 2
" 24	Guildford C. F.A. Cup 1st R.	Away	2 4
Dec. 1	CHARLTON ATHLETIC	HOME	2 2
" 8	Northampton	Away	2 4
" 15	COVENTRY CITY	HOME	3 1
" 22	Luton Town	Away	2 3
" 25	SWINDON TOWN	HOME	4 2
" 26	Swindon Town	Away	1 2
" 29	TORQUAY	HOME	8 1
1929			
Jan. 1	5 Gillingham	Away	0 0
" 19	PLYMOUTH ARGYLE	HOME	2 0
" 26	Fulham	Away	0 5
Feb. 2	2 BRENTFORD	HOME	2 2
" 9	BRISTOL ROVERS	HOME	0 3
" 16	Watford	Away	1 4
" 23	WALSALL	HOME	2 2
Mar. 2	2 Bournemouth & Bos. A.	Away	3 2
" 9	MERTHYR TOWN	HOME	8 0
" 16	Southend United	Away	3 0
" 23	EXETER CITY	HOME	1 0
" 29	Crystal Palace	Away	4 1
April 1	CRYSTAL PALACE	Away	1 2
" 6	NORWICH CITY	HOME	1 1
" 13	Charlton Athletic	Away	2 2
" 20	NORTHAMPTON	HOME	4 1
" 22	Norwich City	Away	1 3
" 27	Coventry City	Away	0 0
May 4	LUTON TOWN	HOME	

LONDON COMBINATION.

1928.	OPPONENTS.	Venue	Result
Aug. 25	TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	HOME	4 1
" 27	West Ham	Away	0 3
Sep. 1	Reading	Away	3 2
" 3	Chelsea	Away	1 4
" 8	FULHAM	HOME	2 0
" 10	WEST HAM	HOME	1 2
" 15	Cardiff City	Away	1 5
" 22	BRENTFORD	HOME	1 1
" 27	MILLWALL	HOME	1 1
" 29	SOUTHAMPTON	HOME	8 2
Oct. 6	Watford	Away	2 2
" 13	LEICESTER CITY	HOME	5 3
" 20	Luton Town	Away	1 1
" 27	PORTSMOUTH	HOME	4 3
Nov. 3	Coventry City	Away	1 1
" 10	CHARLTON ATHLETIC	HOME	8 0
" 17	Clapton Orient	Away	2 3
" 19	Millwall	Away	2 4
" 24	BRIGHTON & HOVE	HOME	1 1
Dec. 1	Arsenal	Away	0 0
" 8	SOUTHEND UNITED	HOME	2 2
" 15	Swansea Town	Away	1 2
" 22	CHELSEA	HOME	1 1
" 26	SOUTHEND UNITED (F.)	HOME	1 0
" 29	Tottenham Hotspur	Away	0 0
Jan. 1	THAMES F.C. (F.)	HOME	0 2
" 5	READING	HOME	4 1
" 12	WATFORD	HOME	4 3
" 17	Fulham	Away	3 2
" 19	Thames F.C. (F.)	Away	5 3
" 26	CARDIFF CITY	HOME	1 2
Feb. 2	Brentford	Away	4 5
" 9	Southampton	Away	3 2
" 16	X. DIV. POLICE (F.)	HOME	Post'd.
" 23	Leicester City	Away	0 1
Mar. 2	LUTON TOWN	HOME	0 2
" 9	Portsmouth	Away	1 1
" 16	COVENTRY CITY	HOME	3 2
" 23	Charlton Athletic	Away	2 3
" 29	CRYSTAL PALACE	HOME	2 1
" 30	CLAPTON ORIENT	HOME	1 1
April 1	Crystal Palace	Away	0 1
" 6	Brighton and Hove	Away	1 1
" 13	ARSENAL	HOME	3 2
" 20	Southend United	Away	2 4
" 27	SWANSEA TOWN	HOME	1 0
May 4	Windsor & Eton (F.)	Away	

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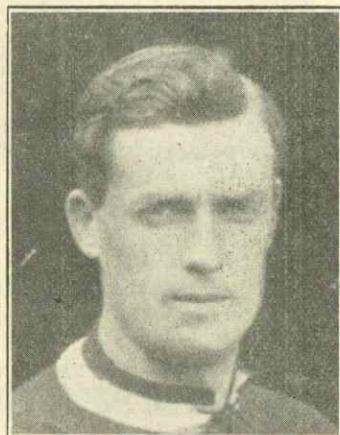
Up to Wednesday, May 1st (Incl.)

	Goals.					
	P.	W.	L.	D.	For	A. Pts.
Charlton Athletic	41	22	11	8	84	60 52
Crystal Palace	41	22	11	8	80	67 52
Northampton	41	20	10	11	95	56 51
QUEEN'S PARK R.	41	19	9	13	81	60 51
Fulham	41	20	11	10	100	71 50
Plymouth Argyle	41	19	10	12	81	51 50
Luton Town	41	19	12	10	88	72 48
Bournemouth	41	19	13	9	84	75 47
Watford	40	19	12	9	76	68 47
Coventry	41	14	14	13	61	56 41
Southend United	41	15	15	11	79	73 41
Swindon Town	41	14	14	13	73	72 41
Brentford	41	14	17	10	56	59 38
Walsall	41	13	16	12	73	77 38
Brighton & Hove A.	41	16	19	6	58	75 38
Newport County	41	13	20	8	67	84 34
Bristol Rovers	41	13	22	6	59	78 32
Torquay	41	13	22	6	64	83 32
Norwich City	40	13	22	5	62	77 31
Merthyr Town	41	11	22	8	55	102 30
Exeter City	41	9	21	11	67	86 29
Gillingham	41	9	23	9	42	83 27

LONDON COMBINATION.

Up to Wednesday, May 1st (Incl.)

	Goals.					
	P.	W.	L.	D.	For	A. Pts.
Arsenal	41	25	9	7	106	42 57
Cardiff City	41	25	11	5	89	55 55
Leicester City	41	24	13	4	108	74 52
Chelsea	42	20	12	10	92	63 50
Tottenham H.	41	23	15	3	99	61 49
West Ham United	41	20	16	5	107	67 45
Millwall	41	19	15	7	85	83 45
Southend	41	20	17	4	92	91 44
QUEEN'S PARK R.	42	16	15	11	85	79 43
Brighton & Hove A.	41	18	18	5	71	89 41
Brentford	41	15	16	10	68	62 40
Charlton Athletic	41	16	17	8	88	86 40
Watford	41	18	19	4	89	110 40
Portsmouth	41	15	19	7	73	72 37
Coventry	41	16	20	5	68	97 37
Crystal Palace	41	16	20	5	66	85 37
Reading	42	14	20	8	74	84 36
Swansea Town	41	15	21	5	71	89 35
Luton Town	41	14	23	4	66	87 32
Southampton	41	14	23	4	79	110 32
Fulham	42	13	25	4	62	101 30
Clapton Orient	41	11	23	7	56	79 29



JACK YOUNG
(Left-Back)

METROPOLITAN MID-WEEK
LEAGUE FIXTURES, 1928-29.

Results.
For Agst.

Oct. 11.	Leyton Garage	...	Home	2	1
,, 25.	Y. Div. Police	...	Away	1	2
Nov. 1.	Lombardians	...	Away	3	2
,, 8.	D. Div. Police	...	Home	5	1
,, 29.	J. Div. Police	...	Away	2	0 ab.
Dec. 6.	H. Div. Police	...	Home	5	1
,, 13.	Leyton Garage	...	Away	4	0
,, 20.	J. Div. Police	...	Home	4	2
1929.					
Jan. 10.	Y. Div. Police	...	Home	pos'p'd	
,, 17.	D. Div. Police	...	Away	1	4
Feb. 28.	West Ham	...	Away	3	5
Mar. 14.	Lombardians	...	Home	1	2
,, 21.	West Ham	...	Home	4	2
Apl. 11	H. Div. Police	...	Away	5	1

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